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New letterhead available for order

Departments and divisions can now order letterhead with the new College logo.

To order, send an appropriately completed interdepartmental order to the Print Shop noting the quantity of letterhead, second sheets and envelopes desired. Please designate department name and telephone number when ordering.

Letterhead is now ivory-colored stock with the logo and other information printed in dark blue ink. Letterhead is 8 1/2 x 11 inches in size and envelopes are #10s (business size). Smaller size letter sheets and envelopes are available, but only in white — not in ivory.

Business cards can be ordered through the Print Shop in the same way as letterhead. Letterhead, envelopes and business cards are to be ordered in multiples of 500 copies (i.e., reams of paper; boxes of envelopes, 500, 1,000, 1,500 business cards).

Gallaudet memo pads are also available for general campus use in either 8 1/2 x 11 or 5 1/2 x 8 1/2 inch sizes. The Print Shop will no longer accept orders for memo pads from departments or from individuals (i.e., "From the desk of" memos).

Seminar focuses on suicide issues

The Prep Counseling staff at the Northwest Campus offered its first brown bag seminar on suicide to faculty and staff last month. Only a few of the more than 65 Northwest faculty and staff members participated in the discussion held in the cafeteria alcove.

The four developmental counselors at the Northwest Campus — Dick Arthur, Madaleine Davis-Shelton, Ellen Bernstein and Sandi LaRue — talked about such topics as the warning signs and signals of a potential suicide victim.

The counselors presented a suicide response plan they and the Student Affairs Office formulated to deal with attempts or threats of suicide. "We have specific procedures to follow if confronted with a suicide-related incident," Arthur explained. "We'd like to train all faculty and staff to be able to at least assess a situation so they know whom to contact."

When asked why his department is focusing on suicide, Arthur said, "It seems to be a national trend — a phenomenon that's been increasing at an alarming rate nationally among young people."

Arthur pointed out that the lunchtime session was called not only to

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Shirley Allen, a Gallaudet graduate and former associate professor at the National Technical Institute for the Deaf, spoke to MSSD students during a Black Heritage Day Program Feb. 20. The program's theme was "Education is the Bridge to Accomplishment."

D.C. Council urged to fund interpreters

The Washington, D.C. City Council on Jan. 20 was urged to fund qualified interpreters for deaf and non-English speaking people in District of Columbia courts.

Several deaf and Hispanic community groups spoke at Judiciary Committee hearings reviewing the fiscal year 1986 budget for the D.C. courts. Interpreters are not provided for civil, landlord-tenant, family and small claims proceedings.

The D.C. courts only have \$8,000 budgeted for payment of interpreters for both deaf and non-English speaking people. Those funds are to be used only in emergency situations.

Sy DuBow of the National Center for Law and the Deaf testified before the committee, giving several examples where deaf persons were denied qualified interpreters in civil proceedings. In one case, DuBow said, a deaf woman with minimal language skills was beaten up and shot at by her boyfriend. When she tried to take him to court in a civil assault complaint, the court refused to pay for an interpreter for the court proceedings.

In another incident cited by DuBow, the court refused to provide an interpreter for a deaf-blind woman in support hearings for her children.

The lack of funds has caused the court to request friends, relatives or volunteers to interpret. Bill Isham, president of the Potomac Chapter of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, explained the dangers of using volunteers who are not skilled and who have an emotional involvement in the case, and stressed the importance of using interpreters who are properly trained in specific skill areas and ethics behavior.

He gave an example of a hearing

youngster having to interpret the divorce proceedings of his deaf parents.

Kathy Jankowski, speaking for Deaf Pride, said "deaf people often end up not wanting to go to court because of all the frustrations with communication they might face without an interpreter." She also said that lower income deaf persons, many of whom live in the District of Columbia, are at a disadvantage because the choice of whether or not to pay for an interpreter is not theirs.

DuBow concluded that the provision of qualified interpreters benefits both the courts and deaf persons. Committee Chairperson Wilhelmina Rolark indicated that the committee would do its best to ensure that the needs of deaf people for qualified interpreters were met in the courts.

College's past, present and future topic of President's Forum'

The third edition of "The President's Forum," a monthly television program hosted by Gallaudet President Jerry C. Lee, will air on the campus cable system beginning Wednesday, March 6.

The program will focus on Gallaudet College — its past, present and future. Jack Gannon, executive director of the Office of Alumni Relations and Advancement, Doris Wilding, Student Body Government president, and Jane Bassett Spilman, chairman of the Gallaudet College Board of Trustees, will join Lee on the program.

The program's broadcast will begin at 9 a.m. Wednesday, March 6 and will continue through Friday, March 8. It will be shown every half hour on channel 33 of the campus cable system.

Campus community invited to dedication of Learning Center

Members of the faculty, staff and student body are invited to attend the dedication of the Learning Center in honor of Edward C. Merrill, Jr., Gallaudet's fourth president. The dedication will be held Thursday, March 14 at 2 p.m. at the north entrance of the Learning Center.

After the dedication, Dr. Merrill's portrait will be unveiled in the Chapel of Chapel Hall. A reception will follow the unveiling.

The President's Office will host a lunch for Dr. Merrill at "Ole Jim" that day. For that reason, "Ole Jim" will be closed to the public.

KDES students raise money for Statue of Liberty

Students in five classes at KDES raised just over \$370 in one month to support the Statue of Liberty-Ellis Island restoration project. Janice Welborn, acting principal at KDES, received a certificate from the Statue of Liberty Ellis Island Centennial Commission late last month expressing appreciation for the students' efforts, which raised \$373.59 through a variety of fund-raising activities in January.

Students in one primary department, two intermediate department and two middle school classes held two bake sales, a Read-A-Thon and a "junk" sale to collect money. In addition, the students set out a jar in the school to collect change and went door-to-door collecting money.

The project, coordinated by Don Mahoney and Jean Slobodzian, involved students in the classes of Slobodzian, Marianne Sasseen, Leslie Lewis, Terry Bittker and Mark Goldfarb.

In addition to participating in a national project whose goal is to raise \$230 million to restore and preserve the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island, the students learned about the history of the statue and Ellis Island, Mahoney explained.

"First, in their individual classes, the children learned about the history and significance of the Statue of Liberty as a symbol of freedom," Mahoney said. "Then, in a large group meeting, cross-departmental committees were set up."

The students surpassed their goal of \$200, with one student alone collecting \$89, Mahoney said.

Sponsored R&D

Grant/contract deadlines

Provided below are application deadlines of selected federal programs that offer potential grant or contract opportunities for Kendall Green faculty, staff and graduate students. More details on these and other programs of interest can be obtained from the Office of Sponsored Programs at x5033 (voice or TDD).

Deadline	Program
3/15/85	ED: Student Initiated Research Projects
3/21/85	ED: Training Personnel for the Education of the Handicapped
4/2/85	ED: Special Population/Handicapped Projects
4/8/85	ED: Innovative Programs for Severely Handicapped Children Program
4/15/85	PHS: Adolescent Family Life
5/1/85	NSF: Ethics and Values in Science and Technology

Youth exchange

Gallaudet was recently awarded a \$47,000 grant from the United States Information Agency under the President's International Youth Exchange Initiative.

The new project, entitled "United Kingdom/United States Youth Exchange Project: Programs and Services in Deafness," will be coordinated by Gallaudet's International Center on Deafness and will be administered by its director, Eli Savanick.

Beginning in April, students from the United States will travel to England. In July, students from the United Kingdom will travel to this country. The program will cooperate with the Central Bureau Youth Department in London, England, to provide this youth exchange, which will be open to both hearing and deaf youths from ages 15 to 25.

For more information, contact the International Center on Deafness at x5316.

Science, technology

The National Science Foundation's Ethics and Values in Science and Technology program (EVIST) will award approximately 30 grants totalling \$1 million in fiscal year 1985.

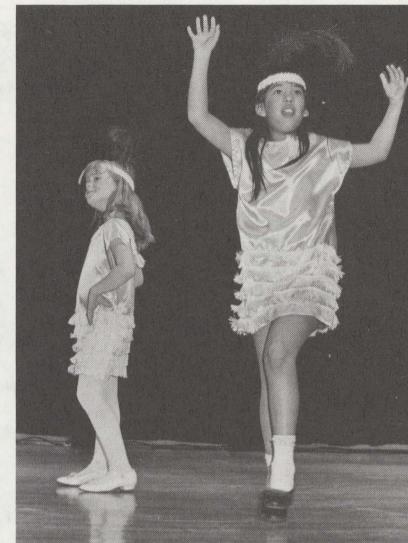
The program supports research and related activities that focus on the roles of science and technology and their practitioners in areas of social or professional concern. EVIST does not support activities designed to improve curriculum, technology assessment studies or general social or philosophical studies.

The maximum award is for collaborative projects and will be \$150,000. Individual awards will also be considered.

For more information, call EVIST at 357-7552 or the Office of Sponsored Programs at x5033 or x5034.

Notice

The name of the Office of Sponsored Research has been officially changed to the Office of Sponsored Programs. The office is still located in House 3 but the phone numbers have changed to x5033 and x5034.



A National Creative Arts Festival benefit performance was held at KDES Feb. 20. Twenty eight KDES students participated in the regional competition for the arts festival, which is sponsored by the Center on Deafness in Illinois. The benefit performance was held to raise money to help defray costs of sending KDES students to Illinois for the competition.

Announcements

A week-long trip to Barbados is planned during Spring Break.

The travel package includes a round-trip Pan American flight, hotel accommodations on the south coast, round-trip transfers between the airport and hotel, Bajan buffet, hotel taxes and service charges and discounts on various tours and events.

The cost of the trip is \$575. If enough deaf persons are interested, arrangements can be made for interpreting services during the tour.

Space for the trip, which begins March 15, is limited. For more information, contact Barbara Pollard at x5342 during the day or 942-5304 during the evening or contact Richard Stone at (201) 241-6437 (voice/TDD).

It is necessary when calling an extension at the Northwest Campus from the Kendall Green campus to dial seven before dialing the extension number.

There are offices on both campuses with the same last four digits. Dialing instructions are provided on page IV of the campus telephone directory.

The deadline for using VR authorization is Friday, March 8 at the close of business hours at the bookstore.

The Gallaudet College Theatre Arts Department will give the final performances of "Getting Out" at Elstad Auditorium March 8 and 9 at 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$2.50 for children and students (including sign language students) and \$4.50 for all others. Gallaudet students with identification will be admitted free of charge.

Reservations can be made by calling x5608 (TDD) or x5605 (voice). Box office hours are March 4-7 from 2 to 5 p.m., March 8 from 2 to 8 p.m. and March 9 from 5 to 8 p.m.

Programs in Adult and Community Education (PACE) will sponsor an interpreted performance of "Baby" at Toby's Dinner Theatre in Columbia, MD, Friday, March 15 at 6:15 p.m.

The cost is \$17.95 per person. To make reservations, stop by the PACE office in Room 213 of College Hall or call x5597.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: 1982 Toyota Starlet. Air conditioning, 5-speed manual, liftback three-door, excellent condition, 50 miles per gallon. Call Don Cresdee at x5700 (voice) or x5702 (TDD).

HOUSEMATE WANTED: Single male, non-smoker, clean, mature, responsible, to share unfurnished four-bedroom house, two baths. Washer/dryer and kitchen privileges. \$150 plus 1/4 utilities. In Cheverly, near Metro. Call Garry or Diane at 386-3542 (voice only).

FOR SALE: Woman's purple 10-speed bike. Good condition. \$50. Call Jackie at x5328 (voice/TDD).

ROOMMATE WANTED: Non-smoker to share two-bedroom apartment near Silver Spring Metro. \$175 plus 1/2 utilities. Call Jackie at x5328 (voice/TDD).

FOR SALE: SuperPhone TDD. Dual computer (ASCII) and TDD (Baudot) accessibility — two years old, in excellent condition. Costs \$695 new; selling for \$350 (firm price). Call 345-5550.

DIAMOND RING: 14k yellow gold, .20 ct with four small side diamonds. Size 6 1/2. Asking \$250. Excellent quality. Call Joan at x5485 (TDD only).

FOR SALE: 1974 Ford Maverick, 4-door, auto, AM-FM, runs but needs work, \$500 or best offer. Contact Stan Black at MSSD Box #10.

ROOMS FOR RENT: Across from Gallaudet College on Florida Avenue. Two rooms (private bedroom) available this month and one kitchenette room-apartment (kitchen and bedroom) available in April. Includes utilities, from \$150 per month per room. Public shower bathrooms. Call 577-2117 (TDD) or 577-7295 (voice/TDD) after 5 p.m.

Jobs Available

Some of the advertised staff positions may already be filled. For updated information, call the JOB RECORDING in the Personnel Office, x5514 or x5520 TDD.

SECRETARIAL POSITIONS: Contact Personnel for listing.

SUPERVISING PSYCHOLOGIST: Counseling and Placement Center

PHYSICAL THERAPIST: KDES Diagnostic and Support Services

REGISTERED NURSE: Student Health Service

CAREER COUNSELOR: Counseling and Placement Center

STAFF PSYCHOLOGIST: Counseling and Placement Center

ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR AND CHAIR: Department of Television, Film and Photography

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR: Film

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR: Television

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR: Audiology

INSTRUCTOR/ASSISTANT PROFESSOR: Interpreter/Transliterator Instruction

INSTRUCTOR: Sign Language Instruction

DIRECTOR: Office of Cued Speech

FACULTY POSITIONS: College of Arts and Sciences: English, Mathematics and Computer Science; Business Administration; Economics; Preparatory level Mathematics and English

FACULTY POSITIONS: School of Communication: Communication Arts

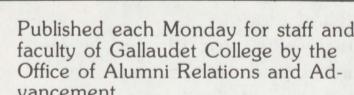
FACULTY POSITIONS: School of Education and Human Services: Education; Physical Education, Recreation and Athletics

GRADUATE ASSISTANT/LIBRARY ASSOCIATE: Library

CASHIER: Bookstore

CAMPUS POLICE OFFICER: Department of Safety and Security

INSTRUCTOR/ASSISTANT PROFESSOR: Linguistics



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Correction

An article on the Presidential Awards appearing in the Feb. 18 edition of *On the Green* incorrectly identified one of the award recipients. Cynthia Fernandes, not Jim Fernandes, will work with Harriet Kaplan on a project to develop a service program to train individuals in the use of various communication-assistive devices.

Suicide seminar

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serve as a workshop for faculty and staff, but also to see what issues need to be addressed in the future. "We plan to provide information-sharing programs for students, too," he said.